

**TAYLOR & AUST, P.C.**

142 S. Main Street  
P.O. Box 560  
Avilla, IN 46710  
Voice (260) 897-3400  
Fax (260) 897-9300

**RECEIVED**  
**CENTRAL FAX CENTER**  
**DEC 02 2004**

**FACSIMILE COVER LETTER**

To: F. Lopez, Group Art Unit 3745 (703-872-9303)

Company: USPTO

From: Todd T. Taylor

RE: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/022,004  
Title: HYDRAULIC SYSTEM WITH IMPROVED EFFICIENCY  
Our Ref.: CAT0073.US

**Comments:**

Total number of pages, including cover letter: 12

A hard copy of this FAX ☐ will be sent by regular mail.  
☐ will be sent via overnight mail.  
☐ will be delivered via hand-delivery.  
☒ will not be sent under separate cover.

**CONFIDENTIALITY NOTICE:** The materials attached hereto are confidential and the property of the sender. The information contained in the attached materials is privileged and is intended only for the use of the above-named individual(s) or entity(ies). If you are not the intended recipient, be advised that any unauthorized disclosure, copying, distribution or the taking of any action in reliance on the contents of the attached information is strictly prohibited. If you have received this facsimile transmission in error, please immediately notify us at the telephone number indicated above to arrange for return of the information to us, at our expense.

**IF YOU DO NOT RECEIVE ALL PAGES, PLEASE TELEPHONE (260) 897-3400**

## PATENT

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of: )  
 Willibald G. Berlinger, et al. ) Group: 3745  
 Serial No.: 10/022,004 )  
 Filed: December 13, 2001 )  
 Title: HYDRAULIC SYSTEM WITH ) Examiner: F. Lopez  
 IMPROVED EFFICIENCY )

AMENDMENT TRANSMITTAL SHEET

MS Non-Fee Amendment  
 Commissioner for Patents  
 P.O. Box 1450  
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

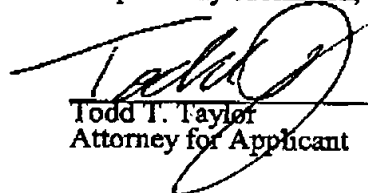
Transmitted herewith is an amendment in the above-identified application.

The fee has been calculated as follows:

CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	PRESENT EXTRA	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE
TOTAL CLAIMS	12	MINUS	20	0	x \$ 9 x \$18	0.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	4	MINUS	4	0	x \$43 x \$86	0.00
FEE FOR MULTIPLE CLAIMS \$130/\$260						
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT						\$0.00

- [ ] A check in the amount of \$\_\_ is enclosed to cover the additional fees. (Check \*)  
 [ ] A check in the amount of \$\_ to cover the Extension fee for response within the \* (\*) month is enclosed.  
 [ ] Applicants authorize the additional fees in the amount of \$\_ be charged to Deposit Account No. 20-0095,  
 TAYLOR & AUST, P.C.

Respectfully submitted,

  
 Todd T. Taylor  
 Attorney for Applicant

Enc: Return Postcard

TAYLOR & AUST, P.C.  
 142 S. Main Street  
 P.O. Box 560  
 Avilla, IN 46710  
 Telephone: 260-897-3400  
 Facsimile: 260-897-9300